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CIRCUIT COURT AT JASPER

Personel of Grand Jury and
Traverse Jury.

Circuit court met at Jasper Monday. There was only a small attendance at court, the smallest probably known. This was due to the fact that a number of cases were set for trial on special days, and the witnesses were summoned accordingly.

The Grand Jury was made up as follows:
W. C. Roberson, J. C. Marlow, Clyde Gilliam, John Lay, Jas. Wells, Dave Smith, Frank Howard, A. W. Ferguson, John Massengale, S. T. Haakow, Amos Floyd, Albert Goodgame, R. S. Raulston.

In his charge to the Grand Jury, Judge Lynch dwelt especially upon the evils of automobile speeding, and declared it was unlawful in Tennessee for an automobile to exceed 30 miles an hour in speed on any public highway. He also said that traffic laws required vehicles to give half the road to automobiles, and vice versa.

Only one traverse jury was drawn, there being an insufficient number of jurors. It is as follows:
W. W. Allen, W. A. Levan, G. M. Moore, A. J. Lawson, Thos. Murry, A. W. Price, A. D. Thomas, B. G. Daniel, J. T. McCabe, T. B. Martin, T. M. Shrum, Frank Green.

It is expected that the work of the court will be completed this week, there being a light docket. Adjournment was made at 12 o'clock Monday to allow those attending to hear Judge Moon speak on national issues.

STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS TO SPEAK

Whitwell, Tenn., Sept. 29.—State Superintendent of Schools S. W. Sherrill, of Nashville, will be the principal speaker at a special meeting in the interest of the Public Schools of Marion County to be held at Looney's Creek Saturday. Prof. R. L. Jones, former state superintendent, and now President of the Middle Tennessee State Normal, is also expected to be present. D. A. Tate, of South Pittsburg, has organized the meeting in the interest of the consolidation idea in the schools of Marion, and this will be one of the objects of the meeting. The session will be held in the Hick's Chapel schoolhouse. It is proposed to consolidate four schools and build an up-to-date brick school house. The schools proposed to be consolidated are the Hicks Chapel, Hickory Grove, Looney's Creek and Sulphur Springs schools. After consolidation the pupils will be conveyed to and from school by "kid" wagons.

Burke, Tenn.

Cool and pleasant weather is the order of the day. It is good on the men that have to work.

T. Roe Manning came home from Grand View where he has been going to school, to see home folks and friends.

Many people of the valley attended the county fair at Crossville Friday and Saturday.

Marion Turner and Lillie Swafford, of this burg, were married during the fair.

J. D. Turner, of Milo, was in this burg Sunday.

Went Matthews, of Linton, attended the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Harris went to Jasper Friday, to spend a few days with their son, A. J. Harris, Jr.

G. W. Henry is having lumber sawed to rebuild his barn that burned down a few months ago.

Edna Hinch is planning to leave this section. He says he is going to Breckenridge.

M. T. Hale, of Jasper, is drilling a well for T. S. Parham, near Goat Knob.

Anna Swafford has been very ill with fever, but is better at this writing.

Rev. Dagly filled his regular appointment at Parham's Chapel Sunday.

X. Y. Z.

Akron, O., compels autoist to dim headlights.

Atlanta, Ga., has raised \$12,000 to equip Boy Scouts.

MONEY TO LOAN ON FARM LANDS

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ALBERT WALLACE DEAD IN N. H.

Held Large Interests in This
Town and Section.

Telegrams flashed from Rochester, N. H., Thursday announced the death of Albert Wallace, owner of large properties here, that morning. Mr. Wallace was a very wealthy shoe manufacturer of Rochester, and the largest stockholder in the Sequatchie Handle Works of this city. He also owned some 20,000 acres of mountain land on Cumberland



HON. ALBERT WALLACE

mountain west of here stretching nearly to Tracy City, and containing valuable but undeveloped coal measures. He owned a half interest in the Sequatchie Supply store, being associated in the enterprise with G. Sherman, of this city. His Rochester holdings are very large comprising a very large plant for the manufacture of shoes and valuable real estate. The Supply store was closed Friday out of respect for his memory, and the Sequatchie Handle works shut down.

The following is from the Manchester, N. H., Union of Sept. 29, being a special dispatch from Mr. Wallace's home town, Rochester:

Hon. Albert Wallace, for years one of the most prominent figures in the business and financial world of New Hampshire, died at his home on South Main st. today.

Mr. Wallace has been suffering from a complete breakdown in health for several years past, being afflicted with an incurable kidney trouble. He has had several bad attacks the past summer, and a few days ago caught cold, with the result that the kidney trouble was aggravated. Wednesday morning he suffered an ill turn and gradually grew worse until the end came.

Mr. Wallace was the eldest son of the late E. G. Wallace, who with his brother, Edwin, founded the great shoe and turning business of E. G. and E. Wallace. The firm was one of the oldest and most prosperous in New England, and the two brothers were reckoned as millionaires at the time of their death.

E. G. Wallace married Sarah E. Greenfield, sister of the late Charles Greenfield, and of that marriage Albert Wallace was born June 6, 1854. He was educated in the public schools, at South Berwick Academy and at Dartmouth college, graduating from Dartmouth in the class of 1877. Immediately after graduation he joined his father and uncle in the huge manufacturing business which they owned. He has continued in this business ever since. On the death of the two elder Wallaces, Albert and Sumner, sons of E. G. Wallace, and George, son of Edwin, took up the business, and Albert and Sumner soon brought out George's interest. Since the settlement of their father's estate, Albert and Sumner have been proprietors of the manufacturing concern, until within the past few months, when a stock company was formed to take over the business, although it is understood that the two Wallaces continued as heavy stockholders. The tannery was discontinued a few years ago.

Albert Wallace was also connected with other business enterprises of magnitude, being for many years president of the Page Belting company of Concord, a very prosperous concern; vice president and director of the Rochester Loan and Banking company, and director of the Worcester, Nashua and Rochester railroad.

He always took a great interest in public affairs and was a political power for many years. Both the brothers were active and enthusiastic Republicans. Albert represented Rochester in the legislature of 1893 and



Carranza (to Uncle Sam): "Gideap!"

1903, and was senator in 1897. For nine years he served on the Rochester city council.

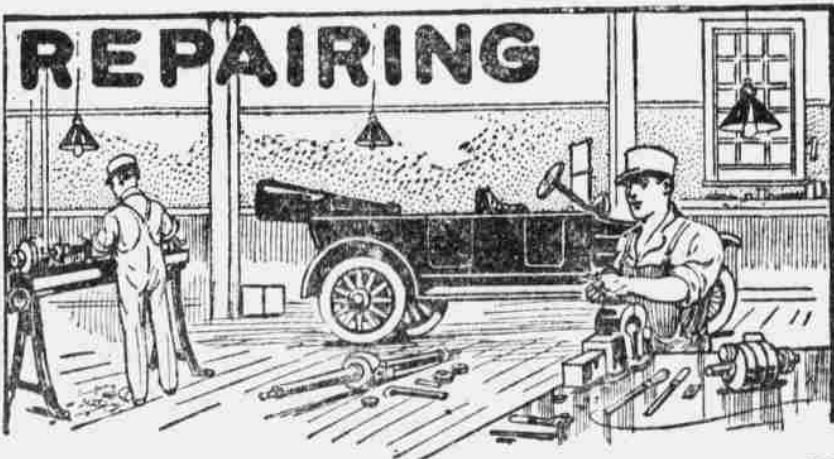
He early joined the Masonic fraternity, being a member of all the Masonic bodies in Rochester, including Palestine commandery, Knights Templar. Mr. Wallace was a contributor to all sorts of public enterprises. He was a supporter of many of the city's churches, the Congregational being the one with which he and his family were affiliated. He was active in the founding of the Gafney Home for the Aged, and was the president of that institution for many years, as well as head of the finance committee, which had charge of its funds. He had a beautiful residence on Main st., a notable feature of the fine estate being the conservatory and the artistic and well kept grounds.

He married Rosalie K. Burr of this city, May 23, 1883, who died Sept. 23, 1888. Oct. 24, 1894, Mr. Wallace married Fannie Swift Chadbourne of Watertown, Mass., who survives him. He leaves, besides his widow, one son by his first marriage, Louis Burr Wallace, a graduate of Dartmouth and connected with the American Radiator company, and five children by the second marriage: Sarah Josephine, Eben, a freshman at Dartmouth, Dorothy, Ruth and Kathyn.

O. H. Francis, of near Inman, was here yesterday. He has rented the Aletha Graham farm near Shellmound across Tennessee river.

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BLOOD POISONING FROM WASP STINGS.

Jesse Coppinger, of Coppinger Cove, near here, was stung by four yellow jackets the other day while at work in the woods. Soon after being stung big wheels began to come on his face and soon spread over his entire body. He was removed to his home and treatment given him for the stings but to no avail. Dr. J. E. Lacy, of Jasper, was summoned and pronounced it a severe case of blood poisoning from the poison contained in the stings of the wasps which is unusually virulent this time of year.

SINGING CONVENTION NEXT SUNDAY

The Marion County Singing Convention will meet here Sunday. On account of the cool weather, the session may be held in the Town Hall. No special features are announced. It will probably be the last convention of the kind for the season, so attend. John Cowan, of Whitwell, President of organization, will be in charge, assisted by Prof. Ferguson, singing director.

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THE EIGHT HOUR DAY.

Not Generally Adopted by Industries Where Physically Possible to Do So.

That an eight-hour work day has not been generally adopted in industries even where physical conditions would permit is shown by recent reports by the U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics. In commenting upon this matter, the Railway Age Gazette says that "The statistics available would seem to indicate that the eight-hour day is a 'presumption' of the unions rather than of economic experience."

While congress thru the Adamson bill is seeking to force upon the railroads of the country the adoption of an eight-hour day, where such application is physically impossible, there are many other industries where the introduction of the eight-hour day is possible that are operating on longer hours. And, strange as it may seem, many of these industries are operated by "organized" employees.

Says the Gazette: "Whatever economic justifications there may be for an eight-hour work day in some kinds of work, is no argument for its introduction in railway train service, where, as everyone knows, it is impossible to divide the work into fixed periods of time."

According to recent report made by the U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics it was shown that in eleven trades investigated the eight-hour day is operative in but 53.7 per cent of cases reported. In 2,016 cases reported the prescribed work day was nine hours or over, and in 814 cases in the eleven trades given, which embrace forty-seven cities, and thirty-two states, the work day was ten hours and over. This would seem to show that the eight-hour work does not have the sanction of general acceptance, even in trade union scales.

Other bulletins by the same bureau, covering eight different industrial lines, embracing 217,005 employees, show that less than 3 per cent worked only 48 hours per week, while 11.5 per cent worked over 48 hours and under 54 hours per week, and that 36.1 per cent worked 54 hours per week.

"The available state reports," says the Gazette, "on the hours of labor also indicate that the eight-hour work day is by no means an established feature of industry."

Neat Sum Realized.

Jasper, Tenn., Oct. 2.—The School Improvement League, of Jasper, gave a very nice entertainment at the High School Auditorium Friday night, consisting of songs, drills, readings, etc. The neat sum of \$18.00 was realized from admissions.

S. S. CONVENTION

HELD AT JASPER.

Jasper, Tenn., Oct. 2.—The Marion County Sunday School Convention met at Jasper Thursday in its first session. The body is composed of ministers of the gospel, superintendents of Sunday schools, and delegates from various Sunday schools. Owing to it not being well advertised the attendance was not what it should have been. Morning session consisted of devotional exercise by Rev. J. W. Stiles, of South Pittsburg, address by Rev. W. D. Farmer, of Jasper, president, reports from secretaries, and discussions. Afternoon session was opened with devotional exercise by Rev. E. R. Lewis, of Sequatchie, followed by discussions. The best address of the day was made by Miss Ross, of Richard City, who handled the subject, "Power of the Sunday School in the Community," in a very vigorous and intelligent manner, making her address thoroughly appreciated.

Clifty, Tenn.

Special to the News.

I will give a few of the happenings of this part of the vineyard.

Monroe Smiddle, wife and son, arrived from Birmingham, Ala., Thursday.

Owen Edman and family have moved back to Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kilgore moved back to Eastland from Lafollette, Tenn.

J. E. Dibbrell, of Bon Air, passed thru town today in his auto.

The Irish potato crop on the mountain is not as good as last year.

The price this year is 95c per bushel. Last year it was 50c.

Cattle are doing fine this fall on the range, better than usual, owing to the woods not being burned last spring.

The corn and hay crop is just fine this year.

The mines at this place will be in operation in a few weeks.

John McDade, the popular merchant of Mobery, passed thru town Saturday, en route to Clifty.

Miss Hettie Reeves attended Sunday school Sunday.

Wake up, ye correspondents and give us some of the happenings of your towns.

The Rev. Hensley filled his last appointment last Sunday at this place for this year.

Rev. G. W. Angel, of the Methodist church, passed through town Saturday, to fill his last appointment at Clifty this year.

G. B. Thoms, of Ravencroft, visited in town Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Thoms, Sr.

J. G.

Meeting Improvement League.

A meeting of the School Improvement League was held at the school house Tuesday afternoon. It was decided that if there was enough money in the treasury, after expenses of the ice cream supper were paid, that purchase be made of a chart for primary room, and a globe for the higher departments. Recitation benches will be furnished by the Board of Education, and will be put in at an early date. Three teacher's tables have been bought by the League. It was suggested that the floors be oiled, which would improve the sanitary conditions very much, and a committee was appointed to look into the matter. The next meeting will be held Oct. 17.

We neglected to mention last week that there is an addition to the family of our friend, W. R. Turner, who lives one mile north of Sequatchie, a daughter having arrived recently.

Miss Nell Leland was the guest of Miss Jennie Bible Beene, on Battle Creek, the week end.